## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND BALTIMORE DIVISION

National Association of Diversity Officers in Higher Education, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Civil Action No. 1:25-cv-333-ABA

Donald J. Trump, in his official capacity as President of the United States, et al.,

Defendants.

## **DECLARATION OF ANANDA V. BURRA**

- I, Ananda Burra, state and declare as follows:
- 1. I am an attorney at Democracy Forward Foundation and counsel to all Plaintiffs in the above-captioned matter. I submit this Declaration in support of the Memorandum of Law in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion to Clarify Preliminary Injunction Order.
- 2. A true and correct copy of an email from counsel for Plaintiffs to counsel for Defendants, dated February 25, 2025, is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.
- 3. A true and correct copy of an email from counsel for Defendants to counsel for Plaintiffs, dated February 25, 2025, is attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.
- 4. A true and correct copy of email correspondence between counsel for Defendants and counsel for Plaintiffs, between February 26, 2025, and February 27, 2025, is attached hereto as **Exhibit C**.

- 5. Counsel for Plaintiffs served a copy of the Court's February 24 Order on the following non-named agencies on February 27 via FedEx overnight delivery, and informed counsel for Defendants of this service.
  - (a) Department of Homeland Security
  - (b) Department of Defense
  - (c) Department of State
  - (d) National Endowment for the Arts
  - (e) National Endowment for the Humanities
  - (f) Federal Communications Commission
  - (g) Department of Veterans Affairs
  - (h) National Archives and Records Administration
  - (i) Small Business Administration
  - (j) United States Postal Service
  - (k) Environmental Protection Agency
  - (l) Department of Housing and Urban Development
  - (m) Department of the Treasury
  - (n) Corporation of National and Community Service (AmeriCorps)
- 6. Counsel for Plaintiffs also sent an email with a copy of the Court's order to the offices of general counsel at the following non-named agencies on February 27, copying counsel for Defendants. Counsel for Plaintiffs were unable to find email addresses for general counsel at the remaining agencies listed in paragraph 5, above.
  - (a) Department of Defense
  - (b) National Endowment for the Arts

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(c) National Endowment for the Humanities

(d) National Archives and Records Administration

(e) United States Postal Service

(f) Department of the Treasury

(g) Corporation of National and Community Service (AmeriCorps)

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Executed: February 27, 2025 /s/ Ananda V. Burra
Ananda V. Burra